

Resilon® D-Ring Seal

High-performance polyurethane solution extends seal life with one-piece design



Extended life and easy installation:

Parker has combined its proprietary polyurethane technology with a new seal design to improve the sealing performance and assembly of hydraulic valves. Parker's Resilon® 4300 polyurethane "D"-rings are a one-piece, hydraulic valve sealing solution which delivers longer life over traditional multi-component seals.

Assembly is easy! The unique "D"-ring shape provides sealing in critical areas while reducing the chance of a seal being cut during installation. This unique seal design, when combined with Parker's proprietary high performance Resilon polyurethane extends seal life and reduces warranty costs.



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Product Features:

- Proprietary wear resistant and compression set resistant Resilon 4300 polyurethane provides long life
- Easy installation
- One-piece design eliminates need for back-ups
- Will not roll in groove
- Symmetrical design
- Fits standard O-ring grooves



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D-Ring Design Advantages

The unique shape of the Parker “D”-ring also provides a variety of design advantages. The molded “D” shape which is higher in the middle and lower on the ends, provides sealing in critical areas while reducing the chance of a seal being cut during installation. Its sealing lip is minimized thus reducing the amount of friction between seal and bore while providing expected sealing performance. The “D” shape is symmetrical so there is no performance degradation as the valve cycles in the reverse direction or concern of backward installation of the seal. The design also incorporates “pressure pedestals” to eliminate the potential for “blow-by,” common in reverse cycling.



No Back-up Rings

The increased wear resistance and strength of polyurethane eliminates the need for back-up rings, thus minimizing installation issues.

Resilon® 4300 Polyurethane Material

Specially formulated Parker exclusive Resilon 4300 polyurethane for long life and wear resistance.

“D” Shape

Unique “D” shape provides sealing in the critical areas while reducing the chance of a seal being cut during installation.

Reduced Lip

The unique shape reduces the lip and thus the amount of wear due to friction.

Resilon® Polyurethane Material

Resilon polyurethane was developed by Parker’s scientists and engineers to provide improved wear- and compression set-resistance in demanding applications and is considered one of the best hydraulic sealing materials available. The increased strength and resilience of Resilon 4300 polyurethane eliminates the need for back-up rings. Resilon 4300 is rated to perform in hydraulic fluids at service temperatures from -65 to +275°F.

When using high water content fluids at elevated temperatures, Parker recommends water-resistant Resilon 4301 polyurethane. Resilon 4301 polyurethane’s unique formulation

High Performance Resilon® Polyurethane

Typical Physical Properties	P4300A90	P4301A90
Hardness, Shore A, pts	92	90
Modulus @ 100%, psi	1793	2029
Tensile Strength at Break, psi	8625	7129
Ultimate Elongation, %	560	514
Specific Gravity	1.17	1.19
Rebound, %	63	45
Compression Set, 70 hrs @ 212°F, %	28.9	24.8*

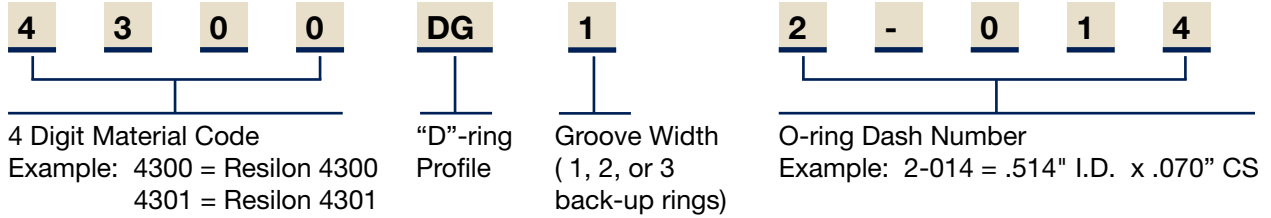
*158°F

makes it resistant to hydrolytic deterioration and it is compatible with most water-glycol, water/oil emulsions at temperatures between -50 to +270 °F.

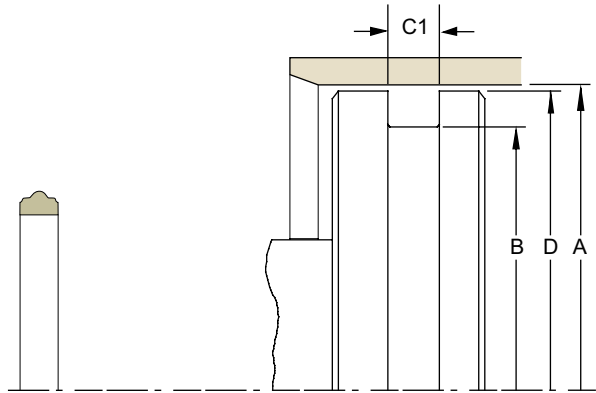
Part Numbering and Dimensions

Part Number Nomenclature – DG Profile

DG Profile – Inch



Gland Dimensions – DG Profile – Dynamic



Please refer to the Engineering Section (Section 2) of Parker's Fluid Power Seal Design Guide (Catalog EPS 5370), Page 2-9 for surface finish and additional hardware considerations.

O-ring 2-Size AS568A-	Piston			Groove Width	Part Number
	A Bore Diameter	B Groove Diameter	D Piston Diameter	C1 One Back-up	
	+0.002/ -0.000	+0.000/ -0.002	+0.000/ -0.002	+0.005/ -0.000	
010	0.374	0.264	0.372	0.138	4300DG12-010
011	0.436	0.326	0.434	0.138	4300DG12-011
012	0.499	0.389	0.497	0.138	4300DG12-012
013	0.561	0.451	0.559	0.138	4300DG12-013
014	0.624	0.514	0.622	0.138	4300DG12-014
015	0.686	0.576	0.684	0.138	4300DG12-015
016	0.749	0.639	0.747	0.138	4300DG12-016
017	0.811	0.701	0.809	0.138	4300DG12-017
018	0.874	0.764	0.872	0.138	4300DG12-018
019	0.936	0.826	0.934	0.138	4300DG12-019
020	0.999	0.889	0.997	0.138	4300DG12-020

“D”-Ring Seal is a Problem Solver

Resilon® 4300 Polyurethane “D”-ring (DG Profile)

Parker’s Resilon 4300 polyurethane D-rings are a one-piece, sealing solution which deliver longer life and reduced warranty costs over traditional multiple-component seals. The increased strength and resilience of Resilon 4300 polyurethane eliminates the need for back-up rings and the challenges associated with the rings folding over on a corner inside the manifold during assembly. Its sealing lip is minimized to reduce the amount of friction between seal and bore while providing expected sealing performance. The unique D-ring shape provides sealing in critical areas while reducing the chance of a seal being cut during installation. The “D” shape is symmetrical so there is no performance degradation as the valve cycles in the reverse direction or concern of backward installation of the seal. The design also incorporates “pressure pedestals” to lessen possibility of “blow-by,” common in reverse cycling.

Your Problem: Back-up and O-ring Seal Failure

Back-up and O-ring seal failure

- Back-up pinches during installation
- Nitrile and FKM seals wear out quickly
- O-ring rolls in the groove / spiral failure

Pesky back-ups and hard to install multi-piece seal

- Multi-component O-ring/back-up
- Worrisome placement of the O-ring and back-up. Is it on the pressure side? Tank side?
- Inelastic PTFE back-ups are difficult to re-seat



PTFE back-ups are pinched and broken during installation; leading to seal failure.

Problem Solved: Parker’s Resilon “D”-Ring Solution

Resilon 4300 Polyurethane “D”-Ring

- Extrusion resistant
- Improved strength & wear resistance
- Compression set resistant
- Longer life reduces warranty costs
- Also available in water-resistant 4301

Single Piece Solution

- Easy Installation
- High strength material + “D”-ring design eliminates need for back-ups
- Will not roll in the groove

